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PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 02814-0076

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Richard George Paxton et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1724  
Application No.: 10/533,125 ) Examiner: To be Assigned  
Filed: December 19, 2005 )  
For: Gas Cleaning Process and ) Confirmation No.: 4833  
Equipment Therefor )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**STATUS INQUIRY**

According to our records, the above-identified application has been on file since April 29, 2005 without the issuance of an Office Action.

In view of these circumstances, the undersigned attorney respectfully requests that the Office advise him of the status of this application as soon as possible in order to determine whether further action by the Applicants is required at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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